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MOSCOW ASKED TO ADVISE "OLEG" NOT TO INVOLVE "MAJ" IN THE "VLADISLAV" AFFAIR (1946)

From: SAN FRANCISCO

: MOSCOW To

No : 139 5 April 1946

To VIKTOR [1]

Your 2171 [ii]. If you have not already informed OLEG [iii] through the SYNDICATE [iv] of your opinion about the inadvisability of my being drawn into the VLADISLAV [v] affair [3 groups unrecovered] court I ask you to do this at once. OLEG has just telegraphed that I should go to PORTLAND

[68 groups unrecovered]

KhATA [vi]

Your 2211 [vii]

[10 groups unrecovered]

No. 57

MAJ [viii]

Footnotes: 1] VIKTOR : Lt. Gen Pavel Mikhajlovich FITIN

[ ii] Not available

[ 111] OLEG : Mikhajl Sergeevich VAVILOV, Soviet Consul

General in SAN FRANCISCO

[ iv] SYNDICATE: People's Commissariat of Foreign Affairs

v] VLADISLAV: Nikolaj Grigor'evich REDIN, Lieutenant

> Soviet Navy attached to the Soviet Government Purchasing Commission in SEATTLE.

Arrested on espionage charges on 27 March

1946.

[ vi] KhATA : ie "HUT"; The Federal Bureau of Investigation

[ vii] Not available

[viii] MAJ : Stepan Zakharovich APRESYAN

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